

**MINUTES**

**MONTANA SENATE  
60th LEGISLATURE - REGULAR SESSION**

**CONFERENCE COMMITTEE ON HOUSE AMENDMENTS TO SENATE BILL 118**

**Call to Order:** By **CHAIRMAN JOHN COBB**, on April 20, 2007 at 11:05 P.M., in Room 350 Capitol.

**ROLL CALL**

**Members Present:**

Sen. John Cobb, Chairman (R)  
Rep. George Everett, Chairman (R)  
Sen. Jesse Laslovich (D)  
Sen. David E. Wanzienried (D)  
Rep. Jack Wells (R)  
Rep. Margaret Campbell (D)

**Members Excused:** None.

**Members Absent:** None.

**Staff Present:** Carol Andersen, Committee Secretary  
Jon Moe, Legislative Branch

**Audio Committees:** These minutes are in outline form only. They provide a list of participants and a record of official action taken by the committee. The link to the audio recording of the meeting is available on the Legislative Branch website.

**Committee Business Summary:**

Hearing & Date Posted: SB 118, 4/18/2007  
Executive Action: SB 118

**HEARING ON SB 118**

**Opening Statement by Sponsor:**

00:01:02    **SEN. JOHN COBB (R), SD 9**, opened the hearing on **SB 118**,  
Eliminate sunset for hospital bed tax.

**EXECUTIVE ACTION ON SB 118**

00:45:33    Sen. Cobb

00:53:09    **Motion/Vote:**    **SEN. COBB** moved that the House  
take off their amendments. Motion carried unanimously  
by voice vote.

**Discussion:**

00:01:02    Sen. Cobb

00:01:05    Sen. Wells

01:53:08    Sen. Wanzenried

02:33:01    Sen. Wells

02:57:03    Sen. Cobb

03:33:01    Sen. Cobb: Conference Committee will dissolve and ask  
for a Free Conference.

03:35:17    Rep. Campbell

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**ADJOURNMENT**

Adjournment: 11:15 P.M.

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SEN. JOHN COBB, Chairman

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CAROL ANDERSEN, Secretary

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Additional Exhibits:

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